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In re Application of: Gary R. McLuen et al.  
Serial No.: 09/742,803  
Filed: December 19, 2000  
Entitled: **MULTI-WELL ROTARY SYNTHESIZER**  
Group Art Unit: 1743  
Examiner Name: Handy, Dwayne K.

**MAIL STOP RCE**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

This is a Request for a Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.08**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, Mail Stop RCE, September 21, 2007.

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Signature

**1. Submission required under C.F.R. § 1.114**

a.        Previously submitted

- i.        Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on       .  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii.        Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on       .
- iii.        Other       .

b.  X  Enclosed

- i.  X  Amendment/Reply
- ii.        Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii.        Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv.  X  Other  A request for three month extension of time

**2. Miscellaneous**

a.        Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of        months.  
(Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b.        Other       .

3. c.        Applicant is entitled to small entity status

4. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a.  X  The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No.: 08-1275.

- i.  X  RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii.  X  Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii.        Other

b.  X  Check in the amount of \$1230.00 (\$395.00 to cover the Request for Continued Examination Filing fee plus \$510.00 for three month extension of time fee plus \$325.00 additional claims fee) enclosed

c.        Payment by credit card (form PTO-2038 enclosed)

5.  X  Return Receipt Postcard

Dated: September 21, 2007

By: [Signature]  
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